

P 102316Z  
FM NPIC WASH DC  
TO RUABAB/313 ADIV KADENA AFB OKI  
RUABBS/JSPC SOBE OKI  
RUAGFL/COMUSTDC TAIPEI TAIWAN  
RUAGUG/13TH ATF (P) TAIPEI TAIWAN  
RUAPAD/CO 500TH INTC GR CP DRAKE JAPAN

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RUAAUW/PACOM ELINT CTR FUCHU AS JAPAN

RUAAUNJ/COMNAVFORJAPAN YOKOSUKA JAPAN  
RUWTPAA/ACIC ST LOUIS MO  
RUCDSQ/FTD WPAFB DAYTON OHIO  
RUCSC/SAC OFFUTT AFB OMAHA NEB  
RUEABL/HQ COMD USAF  
RUEADX/COMDR TAC LAFBVA  
RUEKDA/DIA WASHDC  
RUEAHQ/HQS USAF WASHDC  
RUEKDA/DIA PROD CTR  
RUEAHQ/NIC WASHDC  
RUECD/FSTC WASHDC  
RUECEM/CMC WASHDC  
RUECW/CNO WASHDC  
RUEHCR/STATE RCI WASHDC  
RUEKDA/JCS/JRC WASHDC  
RUEPCR/DIRNSA  
RUEPDA/ACSI DA WASHDC  
ZEN/CIA WASHDC  
RUHKR/CINCUSARPAC FORT SHAFTER HAWAII  
RUHLKM/PACAF HONOLULU HAWAII  
RUHKA/CINCPAC CAMP SMITH OAHU HAWAII  
RUHPB/CINCPACFLT PEARL HARBOR HAWAII  
RUHPD/FICPAC FORD ISLAND HAWAII  
RUMABA/13TH AF CLARK AFB P.I.  
RUMABA/CFDE  
RUMBDA/36 TFS TAKHLI AB THAILAND  
RUMBC/COMUSMACTHAI BANGKOK THAI  
RUMBC/USASD ACSI BANGKOK THAI  
RUMBDF/15 RTF UDORN AB THAILAND

RUMBDK/DET 3, 18 TFS KORAT AB THAILAND  
RUMFCR/ALL SEVENTHFLT CVA TG CDRS  
RUMFM/FICPAC FAC, R. P.  
RUMFUJ/CTF SEVEN SEVEN  
RUMFUU/CTF SEVEN SIX  
RUAUBUL/COMSEVENTHFLT  
RUMJFS/AMEMB VIENTIANE LAOS

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RUMJIR/AMEMB SAIGON VIETNAM  
RUMSBJ/2 ADIV VIETNAM  
RUMSBJ/13 RTS TAN SON NHUT AB VIETNAM  
RUMSMA/COMUSMACV VIETNAM  
RUWGAA/2AF BARKSDALE AFB LA  
RUEADH/8TH AF WESTOVER AFB MASS  
RUWBKN/15AF MARCH AFB CALIF  
RUMRDA/3RD AIR DIV ANDERSON AFB GUAM  
RUHPQ/NSAPACHAW  
RUHPG/CGFMFPAC  
RUAUBAB/CGFIRSTMAW  
RUABFB/CG IX CORPS OKINAWA  
RUABQL/CGTHIRDMARDIV OKINAWA  
RUAPDT/ARMY MAP SERVICE FAR EAST TOKYO JAPAN

RUMBDF/DET 2 35 TACGP PPC UDORN THAILAND  
RUMBC/DEPCOMUSMAC THAILAND  
RUMBC/CHJUSMAG THAILAND  
RUMBSL/USAIRA VIENTIANE

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S E C R E T

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REVIEW BY NPIC OF MISSIONS

RESPECTIVELY REVEALS THE  
PRESENCE OF A HIGH LEVEL OF SUSPECT INSURGENT ACTIVITY IN THE  
EXTREME NORTHEASTERN TIP OF CAMBODIA, IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO  
BOTH SOUTH VIETNAM AND LAOS, AND IN LAOS PROPER.  
THESE AREAS ARE CHARACTERIZED BY:

- (1) DISPERSED BUILDINGS PARTIALLY CONCEALED BY TREE CANOPY.
- (2) HIGH LEVELS OF TRACK ACTIVITY WITHIN THE IMMEDIATE AREA.
- (3) INTERCONNECTING TRAILS BETWEEN THE AREAS OF SUSPECT  
INSURGENT ACTIVITY AND BETWEEN THESE AREAS AND BOTH LAOS  
AND SOUTH VIETNAM.
- (4) ISLOATED PATCHES OF ROW CROPS NEAR OR WITHIN THE AREAS.

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- (5) LACK OF ANY DISCERNABLE DEFENSES POSSIBLY DUE TO THE RELATIVE SAFETY OF THEIR LOCATION OR THE CONCEALMENT OF SUCH ACTIVITY BY HEAVY TREE CANOPY. IN ADDITION, THE GENERAL AREA IS CHARACTERIZED BY THE LACK OF NATIVE VILLAGES THAT AT ONE TIME FLOURISHED IN THIS AREA. FORMER VILLAGE SITES HAVE BEEN RAZED AND ABANDONED.

THE FOLLOWING AREAS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED:

- (1) FOUR CLOSELY RELATED AREAS WITHIN LAOS, 0.2 NM SW OF THE FORMER VILLAGE OF BAM PHIADOUANG AND 2.3 NM WEST OF SOUTH VIETNAM AT UTM YB650201, 654200, 662192 AND 655191. NO BUILDINGS IDENTIFIED DUE TO SCALE AND TREE CANOPY.

[REDACTED]

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- (2) 3.4 NM WEST OF THE SOUTH VIETNAM/CAMBODIA BORDER, WITHIN CAMBODIA AT UTM YB679169. AREA CONTAINS AT LEAST 6 BUILDINGS, [REDACTED]

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- (3) 2.5 NM WEST OF THE SOUTH VIETNAM/CAMBODIA BORDER, WITHIN CAMBODIA AT UTM YB677157. AREA CONTAINS AT LEAST 5 BUILDINGS [REDACTED]

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- (4) 2.8 NM WEST OF THE SOUTH VIETNAM/CAMBODIA BORDER, WITHIN CAMBODIA AT UTM YB670137. THREE CLOSELY RELATED AREAS CONTAINING AT LEAST 1 POSSIBLE BUILDING [REDACTED]

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- (5) 3.5 NM WEST OF THE SOUTH VIETNAM/CAMBODIA BORDER, WITHIN CAMBODIA AT UTM YB670123. THREE CLOSELY RELATED AREAS CONTAINING AT LEAST 4 BUILDINGS.

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[REDACTED] 25X1  
(6) 3.3 NM WEST OF THE SOUTH VIETNAM/CAMBODIA BORDER WITHIN  
CAMBODIA AT UTM YB 664083. LARGE AREA CONTAINS AT LEAST  
20 BUILDINGS [REDACTED] 25X1

(7) 4.1 NM WEST OF THE SOUTH VIETNAM/CAMBODIA BORDER WITHIN  
CAMBODIA AT UTM YB 653081. AREA CONTAINS AT LEAST 4  
BUILDINGS. [REDACTED] 25X1

(8) 3.3 NM WEST OF THE SOUTH VIETNAM/CAMBODIA BORDER, WITHIN  
CAMBODIA AT UTM YB 658062. AREA CONTAINS AT LEAST 10  
BUILDINGS. [REDACTED] 25X1

(9) 1.5 NM WEST OF THE SOUTH VIETNAM/CAMBODIA BORDER, WITHIN  
CAMBODIA AT UTM YB 69111. LARGE AREA CONTAINS AT LEAST  
17 BUILDINGS. [REDACTED] 25X1

IN ADDITION, SEVERAL AREAS OF SUSPECT INSURGENT ACTIVITY WITHIN  
CAMBODIA HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED ON HIGH LEVEL PHOTOGRAPHY WITHIN THE  
AREA OF INTEREST WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN CONFIRMED BY LOW-LEVEL GOOD  
QUALITY PHOTOGRAPHY. THESE AREAS ARE LOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

UTM YB 646060, YB 670048, YB 690113, YB 697120, YB 710105

[REDACTED] 25X1  
MAP REF: SHEET 6454, SERIES L7012, ED 1 (9/63).

SHEET 6554, SERIES L005, ED 1 (2/62).

S E C R E T [REDACTED] 25X1

/END OF MESSAGE/

S/C NOTE: ALSO PASSED [REDACTED] 25X1  
[REDACTED] 25X1